DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Attorney Docket No. 130601.2

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

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NOW COMES the deponent, Marvin C. Buchanan, Sr., who, being first duly sworn, deposes and states as follows:

- 1. I am resident of Oconee County in the State of South Carolina.
- 2. I am the applicant of the above-referenced U.S. Patent Application.
- 3. I was born on October 19, 1938 and am 65 years old.

Further Affiant sayeth not.

Marvin C. Buchanan, Sr

SWORN TO before me this // day of November, 2003

Notary Public for South Carolina
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